

## LIVE NEWS FROM THE TWIN CITIES

### GOES TO GEN.-AMERICAN

J. Gordon MacDonald, for many years connected with the Gravel Tank Corporation of East Chicago, in the capacity of production manager, has severed his connection with that firm to accept a position with the General-American Corporation.

Mr. MacDonald is a former Milwaukee man, and was at one time connected with his brother-in-law, Henry Jarvis of Chicago, who some years ago was a prominent authority on the steel industry in the city of Chicago.

### OBSERVE XMAS HOLIDAY

On account of tomorrow being Christmas, the General-American Tank Corporation has announced that its plant will close down this evening and will remain closed until Monday morning to allow its employees to enjoy a Christmas dinner. All departments are affected, except the police and firemen attached to the plant.

It is believed that the other plants in the district will follow the action of the General-American, in allowing their men to observe the Christmas holiday.

### M. E. CHURCH SERVICES

The usual order of services will be followed at the Methodist church in East Chicago, Sunday, Dec. 26, with the following special features: 8:30, Sunday school, 10:45, Morning worship with a solo by Miss Edith Williams. "The Church & Community Aspect," will be the text of the sermon by Dr. Knudsen of Evanston, secretary of activities of the M. E. church.

At 5:30 p. m. "Fellowship Tea" will be served. A special invitation is extended to all young people who are in the city for the Christmas season to attend this Christmas tea. At 6:30 p. m. devotional meeting of the Epworth League and the Intermediate League. At 7:30 p. m. a sermon, "Christmas Bells" by the pastor, Geo. B. Jones, will be given. Special Christmas music.

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John Parkus of 2915 1st street, Indiana Harbor, a former employee of the Inland Steel company, who attempted to take his life in the Harbor police station, was adjudged insane by a jury of alienists consisting of Drs. Teegarden, McGuire and Mervin, and was ordered to be committed to the asylum at Logansport.

Several nights ago, Parkus, while being held at the police station, succeeded in breaking one of the windows in the jail and taking one of the pieces of glass, was in the act of cutting his throat. The prompt arrival of the jail keeper, probably saved the man's life.

### OFFICE TO BE CLOSED

Postmaster Charles B. Donovan has announced that tomorrow (Christmas day) the postoffice at East Chicago and Indiana Harbor will be closed all day.

In order that all persons may receive their Christmas gifts, Mr. Donovan, who has a big heart, has signified his intention that the carriers will deliver one mail in the morning.

There will be no stamps sold in either postoffice. All windows, including the general delivery window, will remain closed until Monday morning.

### EAST CHICAGO SCORES VICTORY

The Knights of Catholic Unity from Hammond were completely snowed under in a basket ball game with the East Chicago high school last night. East Chicago won by a score of 21 to 5.

The K. C. U. team was no match for East Chicago's strong quintet.

The game was one sided all the way through as was shown by the scores at the ends of the quarters. First quarter, 7-2; first half, 17-2. During the third quarter East Chicago succeeded in making a field goal, making the score 23-4. It was the only goal made by the K. C. U. the other points

### were free throws.

The team work and guarding displayed by East Chicago seemed to dazzle the opposing team; they could make no complete long passes as East Chicago broke their line of defense at every move. The lineup:

East Chicago—Spuduk—Challman, c.; Masney—Creswell, f.; Matlasowsky, f.; Burrell—Cavanaugh, lg.; Lloyd—Cook, rg.

K. C. U.—Rutledge, c.; Moshier, f.; Zasada, f.; Sluskey, lg.; Busby, rg.

Summary—Field goals—Zasada, 1; Spuduk, 2; Matlasowsky, 4; Creswell, 3; Mosney, 1; Challman, 1. Free

throws, Spuduk 3, Zasada 3.

Frank Thomas, star quarter back on the Notre Dame football team, refereed the game.

East Chicago freshmen and Indiana Harbor A. C.'s played the curtain

raiser game with a score of 12-2 in E. C.'s favor. These promising young

basketball players have not lost a game so far. Brandenburg starred for the E. C. freshman team.

## Twin City News Notes

The primary Christmas program was produced at the Tilley school with deserved credit this year on Wednesday afternoon, with students of the first three grades being the participants. Each grade under the supervision of its teacher had numbers which savored of specialty. "The Toy's Complaint" and the "Palce of Dreams" won much favor and regard from the pupil audience. Recitations and songs were introduced and a feature of worthy mention was the part of the program in which the foreign-American pupils appeared in the excellent portrayal of their parts. In conclusion the as-

### sembly sang "Let Your Hands Loudly Clap."

Exercises appropriate to Christmas will be given this evening at St. Paul's Lutheran church, with the usual gift giving to children and a pretty tree trimmed for their delight. All members are invited to be present and accompany the younger folks to the event.

Miss Fern Bell, who has been the house guest of Miss Florence Klein-

man of Baring ave., has returned home to be with her relatives on Christmas Day.

There was a party of camp fire girls at the home of Mrs. Robert Bruce Miller in North Baring ave., Wednesday evening, in a Christmas festivity. They had an enjoyable time and exchanged gift bags.



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May this Christmas be as delightful and as merry as you have planned it, and may the New Year bring you a full measure of health, happiness and all that is best in life.



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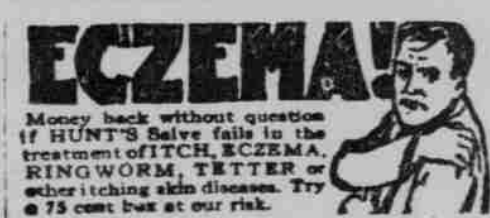
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"GOD BLESS US, EVERY ONE"

